

In summary, GENCO will be qualified to hold the licenses for these facilities, and the proposed transfers will be consistent with the requirements set forth in the Atomic Energy Act, NRC regulations, and relevant NRC licenses and orders, and will not have any adverse impact on the public health and safety or be inimical to the common defense and security.

With regard to the conforming amendments to the license and TS, these changes fall within the NRC's generic finding of no significant hazards consideration under 10 CFR 2.1315(a). Information supporting categorical exclusion from environmental review under 10 CFR 51.22 is also provided. The proposed conforming administrative license and TS changes have been reviewed and approved in accordance with the ComEd Quality Assurance Program.

ComEd is notifying the State of Illinois of this request for approval of conforming license and TS changes by transmitting a copy of this letter and attachments to the designated State Official.

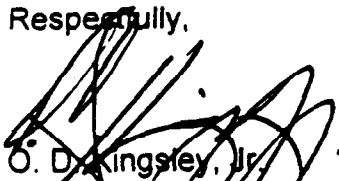
The Closing Date of the PECO/Unicom merger, and the proposed transfer of assets and personnel to GENCO, is dependent upon completing certain regulatory notifications and receipt of certain regulatory approvals, including notification to the Illinois Commerce Commission and approvals from the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, the Securities and Exchange Commission, and the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. The Closing Date is also dependent upon the expiration of the waiting period under the Hart-Scott-Rodino Antitrust Improvements Act of 1976. Unicom and PECO intend to consummate the merger at the earliest practicable date following receipt of all required regulatory approvals. Therefore, ComEd requests that the NRC issue an order approving the transfers to GENCO and the associated conforming license and TS changes by June 30, 2000. ComEd also requests that the NRC specify that the license transfers and amendments be effective immediately, authorizing completion of the transfers at any time through 12 months following the date of NRC approval. This will allow sufficient time for receipt of other regulatory approvals needed prior to closing on the merger, completion of administrative actions necessary to complete the transactions, and contingencies. ComEd and PECO will keep the NRC informed if there are any significant changes in the status of the other required approvals or other developments that have an impact on this schedule.

This submittal includes proprietary information in Enclosure 7P. Because this enclosure contains confidential financial information, as described in the Affidavit of Robert E. Berdelle, provided in Enclosure 9, ComEd requests that this information be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790(a)(4), "Public Inspections, Exemptions, Requests for Withholding." A non-proprietary version of this attachment, suitable for public disclosure, is provided as Enclosure 7.

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If you have any questions about this letter, please contact R. M. Krich at (630) 663-7330.

Respectfully,



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President and Chief Nuclear Officer
Nuclear Generation Group

Attachment

cc: Regional Administrator – NRC Region III
NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Braidwood Station
NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Byron Station
NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Dresden Nuclear Power Station
NRC Senior Resident Inspector – LaSalle County Station
NRC Senior Resident Inspector – Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station
Office of Nuclear Facility Safety – IDNS

**APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TRANSFERS AND CONFORMING
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The following proprietary enclosure is in a separately bound Proprietary Addendum to the Application:

Enclosure 7P Projected Income Statement and Opening Balance Sheet of GENCO
(Proprietary Version)

APPLICATION FOR LICENSE TRANSFERS AND CONFORMING ADMINISTRATIVE LICENSE AMENDMENTS

I. INTRODUCTION

Unicom Corporation (Unicom), an Illinois corporation, is the parent company of Commonwealth Edison (ComEd) Company. ComEd is currently the licensed owner and operator of Braidwood Station, Units 1 and 2; Byron Station, Units 1 and 2; Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Units 1, 2, and 3; LaSalle County Station, Units 1 and 2; and Zion Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2. ComEd is also licensed to own 75% of Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2, and to operate the Quad Cities units.¹

PECO Energy Company (PECO), a Pennsylvania corporation, is currently the owner of Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Unit 1, holds a 42.49% ownership interest in Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Units 2 and 3, and is the licensed operator of all three Peach Bottom units.² PECO is also the sole owner and operator of the Limerick Generating Station, Units 1 and 2, and holds a 42.59% ownership interest in the Salem Generating Station, Units 1 and 2, which are operated by Public Service Electric & Gas Company (PSE&G).³

On September 22, 1999, Unicom and PECO entered into an Agreement and Plan of Exchange and Merger (Merger Agreement) which will result in the formation of a combined company, Exelon Corporation (Exelon). Exelon will be a Pennsylvania corporation and a registered holding company under the Public Utility Holding Company Act (PUHCA) of 1935, as amended. Exelon will have several principal

1. MidAmerican Energy Company is the owner of 25% of Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2. MidAmerican's non-operating ownership share is not involved in this application.
2. Pursuant to Purchase Agreements with Delmarva Power & Light Company and Atlantic City Electric Company, dated September 27, 1999, PECO will acquire an additional 7.51% ownership interest in Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Units 2 and 3. When these transactions are completed, PECO will hold a 50% ownership interest in each of these units.
3. The ownership and operating interests in the Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station and Salem Generating Station units that are not held by PECO, including those held by Public Service Electric & Gas Company (PSE&G), are not involved in this application. A request for conforming changes to the licenses and technical specifications for the Salem Generating Station units will be submitted separately by PSE&G.

subsidiaries, including: ComEd; PECO; and GENCO.⁴ ComEd will remain an Illinois regulated public utility that will continue to own and operate the transmission and distribution (T&D) assets currently held by ComEd. PECO will remain a Pennsylvania regulated public utility that will continue to own and operate the T&D assets currently held by PECO. GENCO will be a Pennsylvania corporation that will own and operate the nuclear electrical generating units currently owned and operated by ComEd and PECO and the fossil-fired electrical generating units currently owned and operated by PECO, and will engage in other business activities, including the sale of electricity at wholesale.⁵ A schematic of the corporate structure resulting from the Unicom/PECO merger is presented in Enclosure 1.

In connection with these transactions, and in accordance with 10 CFR 50.80, "Transfer of Licenses," ComEd requests that the NRC issue an order consenting to the transfer to GENCO of ComEd's interests in the following Facility Operating Licenses:

- License No. NPF-72 (Braidwood Station, Unit 1)
- License No. NPF-77 (Braidwood Station, Unit 2)
- License No. NPF-37 (Byron Station, Unit 1)
- License No. NPF-66 (Byron Station, Unit 2)
- License No. DPR-2 (Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1)
- License No. DPR-19 (Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit 2)
- License No. DPR-25 (Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit 3)
- License No. NPF-11 (LaSalle County Station, Unit 1)
- License No. NPF-18 (LaSalle County Station, Unit 2)
- License No. DPR-29 (Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1)
- License No. DPR-30 (Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, Unit 2)
- License No. DPR-39 (Zion Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1)
- License No. DPR-48 (Zion Nuclear Power Station, Unit 2)

ComEd requests that the NRC consent to these transfers and authorize GENCO to own and/or operate the facilities on essentially the same terms and conditions included in the existing licenses. No physical changes will be made to the facilities as a result of the transfers, and there will be no significant changes in their day-to-day operation. ComEd's and PECO's existing nuclear organizations will be transferred to GENCO, and nuclear employees of ComEd and PECO will become employees of

4 The actual name of GENCO has yet to be determined. The parties will notify the NRC once the actual name is selected, which will be well in advance of the time requested for issuance of an NRC order approving the license transfers and associated conforming license amendments.

5 Other activities or assets being transferred to GENCO include PECO's and Unicom's power marketing operations and PECO's interests in hydroelectric generating facilities.

GENCO or a wholly-owned subsidiary of GENCO.

ComEd also requests, in accordance with 10 CFR 50.90, "Application for Amendment of License or Construction Permit," NRC approval of certain administrative amendments to conform the licenses and Technical Specifications (TS) for these facilities to reflect the proposed transfers. Mark-ups of the licenses and TS showing the necessary conforming changes are provided in Enclosures 10 through 16, as are the associated evaluations conducted in accordance with 10 CFR 50.91, "Notice for Public Comment; State Consultation," confirming that these changes do no more than reflect the proposed license transfer and involve no significant hazards consideration, consistent with the generic finding of no significant hazards in 10 CFR 2.1315(a).

Additionally, PECO is a 50% owner of AmerGen Energy Company, LLC (AmerGen), a company owned by PECO and British Energy, Inc., which owns and operates nuclear power plants in the United States. AmerGen is submitting a separate application pursuant to 10 CFR 50.80, seeking NRC consent for the transfer to GENCO of PECO's ownership interest in AmerGen.⁶

II. PURPOSE OF THE TRANSFERS AND NATURE OF THE TRANSACTION MAKING THE TRANSFERS NECESSARY OR DESIRABLE

The merger of Unicom and PECO, and the coincident transfer of electrical generating assets to GENCO, are in response to the overall restructuring of the electric utility industry in the United States, and are in furtherance of legislation and regulatory orders in Pennsylvania and Illinois to promote restructuring and competition in the electric industry. The merger of Unicom and PECO will strengthen the merged

⁶ AmerGen is a Delaware limited liability company owned by PECO and British Energy, Inc. AmerGen owns and operates nuclear plants in the United States. The NRC has recently consented to the transfers of ownership and operating responsibility for Three Mile Island Unit 1 (TMI-1) (License No. DPR-50) and Clinton Power Station (Operating License No. NPF-62) to AmerGen. See GPU Nuclear, Inc. (Three Mile Island, Unit No. 1), Order Approving Transfer of License and Conforming Amendment, 64 Fed. Reg. 19,202 (April 19, 1999); Illinois Power Company (Clinton Power Station), Order Approving Transfer of License and Conforming Amendment, 64 Fed. Reg. 67598. AmerGen has also recently submitted License Transfer Applications to the NRC for the Nine Mile Point Nuclear Station (Operating License Nos. DPR-63 and NPF-69) and the Oyster Creek Nuclear Generating Station (Operating License No. DPR-16). See Application for Orders and Conforming Administrative Amendments for License Transfers for Nine Mile Point Units 1 & 2 (DPR-63 and NPF-69) (September 10, 1999); Application for Order and Conforming Administrative Amendments for License Transfer for Oyster Creek Station (DPR-16) (November 5, 1999).

companies' T&D capability, will create a diversified and efficient generating company to provide power for sale in the restructured competitive electricity market, and will improve the safety, reliability, and efficiency of all of the functions of the merging companies. The creation of GENCO will enhance competition in the restructured electric industry, will separate Exelon's generation activities from regulated T&D activities, and will enhance the overall financial and operational flexibility of Exelon.

The integration of ComEd's and PECO's nuclear organizations will enhance the continued safe operation of the nuclear facilities currently owned and operated by ComEd and PECO. ComEd and PECO are among the largest and most experienced owners and operators of nuclear power plants in the United States. The nuclear management teams of both companies have demonstrated the ability to operate their nuclear facilities reliably and safely, and to achieve and sustain performance improvement. The senior members of these management teams will be part of the GENCO management team. A Nuclear Group (NG) will be created within the GENCO to operate the nuclear units. The NG will combine the resources and expertise of both organizations under one Chief Nuclear Officer of the GENCO NG. The NG organization will be built on a model enabling it to support all of the nuclear units operated by GENCO and to maintain high standards and effective programs, processes, management controls, and best practices.

In addition, the transfer to GENCO of all of the existing nuclear, fossil, and hydroelectric generating assets of PECO and ComEd, along with the existing power marketing operations of PECO and ComEd, will provide GENCO with substantial assets, revenues, and other financial resources to pay for any capital expenditures or operations and maintenance costs required to ensure nuclear safety.

As described previously, coincident with the transfer of licenses and generating assets, PECO and Unicom will combine to form Exelon as of the "Closing Date," as defined in the Merger Agreement, once all conditions precedent are satisfied and regulatory approvals are obtained. The Merger Agreement is included as Enclosure 2. On or about the Closing Date, the following events will occur:

- (a) GENCO will assume ownership of the nuclear, fossil, and hydroelectric generating units currently owned by ComEd and PECO, excluding certain switchyard and transmission facilities which will remain with PECO and ComEd; GENCO also will assume responsibility for the safe operation, maintenance, and eventual decommissioning of the nuclear facilities;
- (b) PECO's nuclear employees located at the Limerick Generating Station, Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, in PECO's nuclear support offices in Wayne, Pennsylvania, and other locations, will become employees of GENCO or a wholly-owned GENCO subsidiary, and will support GENCO's nuclear operations. Similarly, ComEd's nuclear employees at the Braidwood Station, Byron Station, Dresden Nuclear Power Station,

LaSalle County Station, Quad Cities Nuclear Power Station, and Zion Nuclear Power Station, and ComEd's nuclear support personnel in Downers Grove, Illinois, and other locations will become employees of GENCO or a wholly-owned GENCO subsidiary and will support GENCO's nuclear operations;

- (c) Interconnection Agreements and/or operating protocols between GENCO and PECO, and between GENCO and ComEd, will take effect, ensuring the continued availability of offsite power to the nuclear units in accordance with all applicable regulatory requirements. GENCO may also contract for additional transmission service and for back-up power to the sites consistent with NRC requirements.

III. GENERAL CORPORATE INFORMATION REGARDING EXELON AND GENCO

GENCO will be a wholly-owned subsidiary of Exelon, a corporation formed under the laws of Pennsylvania resulting from the merger of PECO and Unicom. Exelon will be a registered holding company subject to Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) regulation under the PUHCA. Exelon's headquarters and principal place of business will be located at 10 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60690-3005. Upon the receipt of the necessary regulatory approvals, Exelon will become a publicly traded company on the New York Stock Exchange, whose shares will be widely held, initially by the current shareholders of PECO and Unicom. Exelon will become the parent holding company of GENCO, PECO, ComEd, and non-utility subsidiaries. The entire Exelon Board of Directors has not yet been named, but Mr. Corbin A. McNeill, Jr. will become Chairman of the Board of Directors of Exelon upon completion of the merger of PECO and Unicom, and Mr. John W. Rowe will be the Chairman of the Executive Committee of Exelon's Board of Directors. Other directors of Exelon will be selected from the existing Boards of Directors of PECO and Unicom.

A. NAME OF TRANSFEREE

GENCO

B. ADDRESS

GENCO's headquarters will be located at:
965 Chesterbrook Boulevard
Wayne, Pennsylvania 19087-5691

C. DESCRIPTION OF BUSINESS OR OCCUPATION

GENCO will be a corporation formed to own, operate, and acquire nuclear and other electric generating stations; to engage in the sale of electrical energy; and to perform other business activities. GENCO will be a wholly-owned corporate subsidiary of Exelon, a corporation formed under the laws of Pennsylvania.

Copies of the PECO and Unicom 1996, 1997, and 1998 Annual Reports are provided in Enclosures 3 and 4, respectively.

D. ORGANIZATION AND MANAGEMENT

1. State of Establishment and Place of Business

GENCO will be organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. GENCO's principal place of business will be in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

2. Board of Directors

The business and affairs of GENCO will be conducted under the direction of a Board of Directors, who will be elected by Exelon, the sole shareholder of GENCO. Mr. Corbin A. McNeill, Jr. will be the Chairman of the Board. Mr. McNeill is a United States citizen. The parties will provide the names, addresses, and citizenship of the remaining members of the GENCO Board of Directors once they are identified. Currently, the intention is for these members to be initially drawn from the current senior management and/or Boards of Directors of PECO, Unicom, and ComEd.

3. Principal Executives and Officers

The names, titles, addresses, and citizenship of the principal executives and officers of GENCO are as follows. Mr. Corbin A. McNeill, Jr. will be the Chief Executive Officer. Mr. McNeill is a U.S. citizen. His address is 965 Chesterbrook Boulevard, Wayne, Pennsylvania 19807-5691. Mr. Oliver D. Kingsley, Jr. will be President of GENCO's Nuclear Group and Chief Nuclear Officer. Mr. Kingsley is a U.S. citizen. His address is 1400 Opus Place, Suite 900, Downers Grove, Illinois 60515. GENCO's Nuclear Group will also have a Chief Operating Officer, who has yet to be named. The names, addresses, and citizenship of additional executives and officers will be provided.

E. FOREIGN PARTICIPATION

GENCO will not be owned, dominated, or controlled by foreign interests. GENCO will be a U.S. corporation that is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Exelon, a U.S. corporation. Pursuant to the Merger Agreement, Exelon's stock will initially be held by the current shareholders of PECO and Unicom, and will continue to be widely held and traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

IV. TECHNICAL QUALIFICATIONS OF GENCO

A. OVERVIEW

The technical qualifications of GENCO to carry out its licensed responsibilities will meet or exceed the technical qualifications of ComEd's and PECO's current organizations as described in the Updated Final Safety Analysis Reports (UFSARs) or the Defueled Safety Analysis Reports (DSARs) for the facilities involved. Indeed, the proposed merger will bring together two of the nation's most experienced nuclear management teams, with demonstrated experience in achieving and sustaining safe and reliable nuclear unit operations.

When the proposed license transfers and amendments become effective, GENCO will assume responsibility for, and control over, the operation of the current ComEd and PECO nuclear plants. Additional plants may be integrated into the NG in the future. The nuclear organizations of ComEd and PECO will be combined into one organization - the NG - which will be responsible for appropriate standards, programs, processes, management controls, and support for the nuclear facilities being transferred to GENCO. Oliver D. Kingsley, Jr., the current President and Chief Nuclear Officer of ComEd's Nuclear Generation Group, will become the President and Chief Nuclear Officer (CNO) of the new GENCO NG. PECO's existing nuclear employees at the Limerick Generating Station and Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, and its nuclear employees at PECO's Wayne, Pennsylvania office and other locations, will be transferred to GENCO and will become employees of GENCO or a wholly-owned GENCO subsidiary. Similarly, the nuclear employees of ComEd at its nuclear sites, its Downers Grove, Illinois office and other locations will be transferred to GENCO and will become employees of GENCO or a wholly-owned GENCO subsidiary. The NG headquarters will be located in the Greater Chicago, Illinois area (currently Downers Grove, IL). Headquarters employees may be deployed at other NG locations.

In light of the size of the combined ComEd and PECO nuclear operating fleet, an organizational model will be adopted, designed to provide:

- 1) a single CNO accountable for overall management, leadership, performance, and nuclear safety;
- 2) a manageable span of control over the nuclear units by the nuclear management team;
- 3) implementation of high standards, best practices, effective programs and processes, and management controls; and

- 4) effective oversight, support, and service functions for the nuclear units.

The NG structure is based upon an overriding philosophy of an engaged nuclear management team that establishes and enforces high standards and clear accountabilities, focuses on effective nuclear support, assures the sharing and implementation of best practices, and effectively exercises oversight of licensed activities. The NG organization will be managed as a single cohesive entity, with a common vision, a shared mandate for regulatory compliance and performance excellence, and consistent standards, programs, practices, and management controls. Management will apply a philosophy emphasizing operational excellence, excellent material condition, and the use of a well-defined process to identify and address performance gaps relative to industry top performers by monitoring of meaningful performance indicators.

B. ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

Enclosure 5 is an organizational chart for GENCO illustrating the post-transfer management structure and reporting relationships for the nuclear stations that GENCO will own, operate, and manage.

The organization model consists of the NG headquarters functions, Regional Operating Groups (ROGs), and the nuclear sites. Span of control and geographic location will be the principal considerations in the makeup of the ROGs. Additional plants may be integrated into these initial ROGs or additional ROGs may be formed as necessary to ensure effective management controls, support, and oversight.

Direct responsibility and accountability for the safe and reliable operation of the plants will reside in line management, from the Site Vice Presidents up through the Regional Operating Group Vice Presidents and Chief Operating Officer, ultimately residing with the CNO. The NG will also include senior managers and their staffs responsible for the areas of nuclear support services, nuclear oversight, business operations, human resources, and administrative functions. The support services will include generation support (e.g., radiation protection, operations, maintenance), engineering, regulatory services, and training, which are currently provided by the PECO and ComEd corporate nuclear organizations. The NG headquarters, in conjunction with the ROGs, will to the extent practicable implement standardized programs, processes, and management controls that support the highest level of operation. Support for the nuclear plants in areas such as regulatory programs, oversight and assessment of the implementation of these programs, and development of consistent standards, programs, processes, and practices will be provided by these organizations.

As described above, each of the individual facilities will be assigned to a ROG. The existing onsite organizational structures, responsibilities, and reporting chains are not being changed as a result of the proposed license transfers. The onsite

management and technical support structure will continue to conform to the pertinent provisions in each facility's UFSAR, DSAR, or Technical Specifications, as applicable.

With respect to the permanently shutdown units, the onsite staffs will have responsibility for maintaining the facilities in their long term, safe storage mode until decontamination and dismantlement begins. The headquarters support organizations, ROG, and associated operating nuclear unit organizations will provide additional support.

C. MANAGEMENT PERSONNEL AND RESPONSIBILITIES

As shown in Enclosure 5, the reporting relationships among the principal GENCO executive officers and managers involved in the management of nuclear power facilities will be as follows:

- The Co-Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of Exelon, Corbin A. McNeill, Jr., will serve as the CEO of GENCO. The NG, the other generation organizations (i.e., fossil-fueled, hydroelectric), and the power marketing and trading businesses of GENCO will report to the CEO. The CEO will have responsibility for overall GENCO corporate policy.
- The Chief Nuclear Officer (CNO) of the NG, Oliver D. Kingsley, Jr., will report to the GENCO CEO. The CNO will be the senior corporate executive with all the necessary authority and full responsibility for the safe and reliable operation of the nuclear facilities operated by GENCO. The CNO will not have any non-nuclear ancillary responsibilities.
- The Chief Operating Officer (COO) of the NG will report to the CNO. The COO of the NG will have responsibility for the overall day-to-day operations of the Regional Operating Groups. The COO position will be filled by an individual who possesses senior nuclear management experience.
- The Vice Presidents for the ROGs will report to the COO. The ROG Vice Presidents will be responsible and accountable for the safe and reliable operation of the nuclear units within their particular ROG. The ROG Vice President positions will be filled with individuals who possess senior nuclear management experience.
- A Vice President, Corporate Nuclear Support, will report to the CNO and will have responsibility, in conjunction with the ROGs and the COO, for providing support to the sites in defining and implementing standards, programs, processes and best practices in areas such as engineering, nuclear supply, regulatory services, nuclear fuels, generation support (e.g., chemistry, radiation protection), project management, and information services, and will

monitor performance in these areas. This Vice President will also manage projects associated with those units that are permanently shutdown (i.e., Peach Bottom Atomic Power Station, Unit 1, Dresden Nuclear Power Station, Unit 1, and Zion Nuclear Power Station, Units 1 and 2).

- A Vice President, Nuclear Oversight and Safety Review, will report directly to the CNO and be the executive responsible for ensuring that the activities of the oversight organization, including audits, quality control, and assessments of the operating organization, are carried out. A Nuclear Oversight Director responsible for Quality Assurance will be assigned to each ROG. The ROG Nuclear Oversight Directors will report directly to the Vice President, Nuclear Oversight and Safety Review.
- A Vice President, Human Resources and Administration, will report to the CNO and will be responsible for human resource policies and programs in support of the NG organization, and for carrying out other administrative duties. This Vice President will be responsible for monitoring performance in implementing the above.
- A Vice President, Business Operations, will report to the CNO and will be responsible for NG business management processes, including annual and long-term business planning and goals, performance indicator data, and operating efficiencies and cost controls. This Vice President will be responsible for monitoring performance in implementing the above.
- A Site Vice President will be assigned for each operating nuclear site. The Site Vice President will report to the Vice President of the appropriate ROG. The Site Vice President will be the senior executive on site responsible for overall plant nuclear safety and for compliance with the NRC operating license. The Site Vice President will provide day-to-day direction and management oversight of activities associated with the safe and reliable operation of the facility. It is expected that the incumbents will remain as the Site Vice Presidents once the merger is complete.
- Chairpersons of the Nuclear Safety Review Boards (NSRBs) will report directly to the CNO and will advise the Vice President, Nuclear Oversight and Safety Review. These Chairpersons will be responsible for the independent review and audit function for the nuclear units operated by GENCO.

Enclosure 6 includes resumes detailing the specific educational background and experience for the key GENCO and NG executive management personnel who will be responsible for the nuclear program. Specifically, resumes are included for Mr. McNeill

and Mr. Kingsley.^{7/}

D. TECHNICAL SUPPORT

The existing technical support organizations for the nuclear stations currently operated by ComEd and PECO, as described in the UFSAR or DSAR for those stations, are currently located at the plant sites or at the Wayne, Pennsylvania or Downers Grove, Illinois, nuclear support offices. These organizations and personnel will continue to perform technical support functions for their respective stations on behalf of GENCO. The functions, responsibilities, and reporting relationships of these organizations, especially as they relate to activities important to the safe operation of each station, will continue to be clear and unambiguous.

Support functions relating to information technology, the Public Information Centers, and the back-up Emergency Operations Facilities will either be transferred from PECO/ComEd to GENCO, provided by another organization within Exelon, provided by contract, or created within GENCO.

PECO and ComEd will also transfer the assets related to the nuclear units that GENCO will need to maintain and operate the units in accordance with NRC requirements. In addition to plant and equipment, necessary books, operating records, operating safety and maintenance manuals, engineering design plans, documents, blueprints and as-built plans, specifications, procedures, and similar items will be transferred. The records that the NRC requires a licensee to maintain are located and maintained at the nuclear plant sites or in the nuclear support offices and will be transferred to GENCO. GENCO will also ensure that it acquires custody or control of, or access to, any important documents needed for operation at the nuclear plants or compliance with NRC requirements presently owned by PECO or ComEd that may currently be in other locations. Further, any necessary contracts with Architect Engineers, Nuclear Steam Supply System (NSSS) suppliers, and other major vendors,

7 The personnel at each nuclear station, including senior managers, will be essentially unchanged as a result of the merger. However, as is common for the management and staff at operating nuclear power plants, individuals routinely transfer to other positions within the same company, retire, resign, or transfer to positions at other sites. Thus, it is to be expected that additional experienced personnel may join the site organizations during the period leading up to and after the license transfer. Similarly, changes in titles within the organization may occur. Similar changes may be expected to occur within the PECO and ComEd corporate nuclear organizations. Prior to the transfer, decisions regarding such changes will be made by the current licensee, and following the transfer, such decisions will be made by GENCO. Any new personnel assigned to the nuclear stations will meet all existing qualifications requirements in accordance with the licenses and technical specifications of those stations.

will be assigned to GENCO, if possible, or other appropriate contracts will be obtained by GENCO on a timely basis. Other contracts and contractor relationships relating to these nuclear facilities will also be assigned or transferred to GENCO.

E. CONCLUSIONS

The information presented above describes the organizational groups, key executive positions, reporting relationships, and responsibilities that will exist in the GENCO NG for accomplishing the activities associated with the support and operation of the nuclear units to be owned and operated by GENCO. Clear management control and effective lines of authority and communications will exist between the organizational units involved in the management, operation, and support of the nuclear units. Breadth and level of experience, and availability of personnel off site, will exist to provide support for operation of the facilities. Moreover, following the proposed merger, the nuclear onsite organizations and staff will be essentially the same as currently approved by the NRC and as reflected in the governing UFSARs, DSARs and Technical Specifications. Accordingly, GENCO will be technically qualified to become the licensee for the nuclear units which are the subject of the proposed license transfers.

V. FINANCIAL QUALIFICATIONS OF GENCO

A. PROJECTED OPERATING REVENUES AND OPERATING COSTS

GENCO will own, operate, and market power from nuclear, fossil, and hydroelectric generating units. GENCO will sell electricity to electric utility affiliates and will market electricity pursuant to rate tariffs approved by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission. GENCO will also possess the financial qualifications to meet the applicable requirements of 10 CFR 50.33(f), "Contents of Applications; General Information," for non-electric utility licensees. Specifically, GENCO will possess, or will have reasonable assurance of obtaining, the funds necessary to cover the estimated operating costs for the period of the facility licenses in accordance with 10 CFR 50.33(f)(2).

ComEd and PECO have prepared a Projected Income Statement for GENCO operations from January 1, 2001 through December 31, 2005. The GENCO Projected Income Statement is included in Enclosures 7 and 7P.⁸ In accordance with the NRC

⁸ Enclosure 7P is separately bound in a proprietary Addendum to this Application. The parties request that Enclosure 7P be withheld from public disclosure pursuant to 10 CFR 2.790, "Public Inspections, Exemptions, Requests for Withholding," since it contains confidential commercial or financial information, as described in the Affidavit of Robert E. Berdelle, provided as Enclosure 9. A redacted version, suitable for public disclosure, is provided in Enclosure 7.)